

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **NAOAKI KANADA, ET AL.** § Attorney Docket No.: **JP9200200202US1**
Serial No.: **10/721,621** § § § Examiner: **MARK S. BLOUIN**
Filed: **25 NOVEMBER 2003** § § § Art Unit: **2627**
For: **INERTIAL LATCHING MECHANISM FOR DISK DRIVE ACTUATOR** § § § Confirmation No.: **7703**
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AMENDMENT A

MAIL STOP – Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Mr. Blouin:

This Amendment is submitted in response to an Office Action dated December 6, 2006, with a shortened statutory period ending on March 6, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF EFS-Web FILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being submitted via the PTO Electronic Filing System to Addressee on the date indicated below and is addressed to Commissioner for Patents – Non-Fee Amendments, Attn: Examiner Mark S. Blouin, Art Unit 2627.

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